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JAN. 25 & 26: STOP AT ANCHORAGE; ATTEND NORTHERN
PACIFIC FISHERIES COUNCIL MEETING AS OBSERVER (HAS WRITTEN
COUNCIL AND ASKED TO SPEAK); CALL ON MAYOR OF ANCHORAGE
(PLEASE ARRANGE APPT). JAN 27: JUNEAU, CALL ON GOVERNOR
OF ALASKA (PLEASE ARRANGE APPT) AND TALK ABOUT FISHERIES
PROBLEMS. GRANTEE ALONE. JA. 28: DEPART JUNEAU. GRANTEE
ALONE. JAN. 29-FEB. 14: CU PROGRAM. FEB. 15: ARRIVE
TOKYO (BECAUSE OF BUDGET NEGOTIATIONS MUST RETURN MID-
FEBRUARY).
THINGS HE WOULD LIKE TO OBSERVE DURING THE PERIOD OF
JAN. 28 TO FEB. 14. 1) WELFARE: (A) FACILITIES FOR CARE
OF MENTALLY AND PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED CHILDREN, PREFERABLY
IN CITIES OF ABOUT 200,000 POPULATION. HE HOPES SUCH
ARE INCLUDED; (B) VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES IN MEDIUM-
SIZED CITIES; ACTIVITIES RELATED TO WELFARE OF SENIOR
CITIZENS; PROGRAMS RELATED TO WELFARE OF THE HANDICAP-
PED ADULTS. 2) CONSUMER PROTECTION: ACTIVITIES OF
STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL LEVEL GOVERNMENTS IN
CONSUMER PROTECTION IN MEDIUM-SIZED CITIES. 3)
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EDUCATION: ADMINISTRATION OF SCHOOL SYSTEMS
INCLUDING ATHLETIC FACILITIES IN MEDIUM-SIZED
CITIES. 4) ADMINISTRATION OF MUNICIPALITIES: ONE OR
TWO MUNICIPALITIES OF ABOUT 200,000 POPULATION
WHICH ARE NOTED FOR HAVING GOOD SERVICES AND GOOD
ENVIRONMENT. 5) HARBOR ADMINISTRATION: (A) NEW YORK

PORT (B) BOSTON PORT (C) SACRAMENTO PORT (FROM WHICH
WOOD CHIPS ARE SHIPPED TO KUSHIRO PORT) OR COOS BAY
PORT. 6) FISHERIES: ONE OR TWO LARGEST FISHING
PORTS.

PERSONS HE WOULD LIKE TO CALL ON AND TALK WITH DURING
THE PERIOD FROM JAN. 25 TO FEB. 14: 1) PRESIDENT
CARTER ON FISHERIES (HAS BEEN ADVISED THIS HIGHLY
UNLIKELY). 2) ECONOMIST LEO HUBERMAN, TO SEEK HIS
OPINIONS ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF JAPANESE PREFECTURES
AND MUNICIPALITIES WHOSE GOVERNORS OR MAYORS ARE FROM
RENOVATIONIST GROUPS (SOCIALIST PARTY, CLEAN
GOVERNMENT PARTY, DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST PARTY,
COMMUNIST PARTY). 3) J.K. GALBRAITH, TO SEEK HIS
OPINIONS ABOUT THE ADMINISTRATION OF JAPANESE
MUNICIPALITIES. 4) RALPH NADER, TO SEEK HIS OPINIONS
ON CONSUMER PROTECTION MOVEMENT. 5) HERMAN KAHN, TO
SEEK HIS OPINION ABOUT THE ROLE JAPAN IS GOING TO
PLAY IN THE 21ST CENTURY. 6) MAYOR OF MEDIUM SIZED
MUNICIPALITIES, TO EXCHANGE OPINIONS ABOUT HOPES,
DIFFICULTIES, ETC., ESPECIALLY CITIZENS PARTICIPATION.
POST REQUESTS APPTS WITH WASHINGTON OFFICIALS
KNOWLEDGEABLE ON FISHERIES QUESTION.

WE HAVE TOLD THE MAYOR THAT TIME IS VERY SHORT AND
WE MAY NOT BE ABLE TO SET EVERYTHING UP. STILL
AWAITING ANSWER TO HIS CABEL TO ANCHORAGE. THESE
ARE HIS HOPES AND AS YOU CAN SEE HE IS NOT MODEST.
POST SUGGESTS VISIT TO NORTHWEST FISHERIES CENTER 2725
MONTLAKE BOULEVARD EAST, SEATTLE, WASHINGTON 98012.
DIRECTOR DAYTON L. ALVERSON, RECNT AMSPEC, HAS
OFFERED TO ASSIST.
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